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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC for Approval of Rider DSM/EE-12, Decreasing Residential Rates and Increasing Non-Residential Rate

Docket No. 2020-176-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On July 31, 2020, Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP" or "Company") filed its Application for Approval of Rider Demand-Side Management ("DSM") and Energy Efficiency ("EE") - 12 with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Please find enclosed the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff's Report on its review of DEP's Application. The Company's request would result in a monthly decrease of approximately \$0.24 for the average residential customer using 1,000 kilowatt hours per month.

Sincerely,

s/ Jenny R. Pittman

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cc: David Butler, Esquire (via E-mail) Other Parties of Record (via E-mail)

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¹ Amended Exhibit 15 to the Application, which did not alter the program totals and rates, was filed on August 25, 2020.